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In time, kidney diseases may be prevented by purifying, renewing, and invigorating the blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. When, through debility, the action of the kidneys is perverted, these organs rob the blood of its needed constituent, albumen, which is passed off in the urine, while worn out matter, which they should carry off from the blood, is allowed to remain. By the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the kidneys are restored to proper action, and albumenuria, or

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the disease from assuming a fatal form, but was restored to perfect health. John McEllen, cor. Bridge and Third sts., Lowell, Mass., writes: "For several years I suffered from dyspepsia and kidney complaint, the latter being so severe at times that I could scarcely attend to my work. My appetite was poor, and I was much emaciated; but by using

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Should be kept constantly at hand, for use in emergencies of the household. Many a mother, startled in the night by the ominous sounds of Croup, finds the little sufferer, with three years old, gasping for air. In such cases Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is invaluable. Mrs. Emma Gedney, 120 West 128 st., New York, writes: "While in the country, last winter, my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with Croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral was tried in small and frequent doses, and, in less than half an hour, the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the Pectoral saved my darling's life." Mrs. Chas. B. Landon, Guilford, Conn., writes: "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Saved My Life, and also the life of my little son. As he is troubled with Croup, I dare not be without this remedy in the house." Mrs. J. Gregg, Lowell, Mass., writes: "My children have repeatedly taken Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for Coughs and Croup. It gives immediate relief, followed by cure." Mrs. Mary E. Evans, Scranton, Pa., writes: "I have two little boys, both of whom have been, from infancy, subject to violent attacks of Croup. About six months ago we began using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and it acts like a charm. In a few minutes after the child takes it, he breathes easily and rests well. Every mother ought to know what a blessing I have found in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral." Mrs. Wm. C. Reid, Freehold, N. J., writes: "In our family, Ayer's medicines have been blessings for many years. In cases of Colds and Coughs, we take

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THOSE RESOLUTIONS.

THE EDMUNDS DRAFT ADOPTED BY THE SENATE.

Resolutions That May or May Not Antagonize the Principles of Civil Service Reform—It Will Hardly Bring the Papers Senate and House—Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The resolutions embraced in the report of the Judiciary committee, which was submitted to the Senate by Mr. Edmunds, are in their full text as follows:

"RESOLVED, That the foregoing report of the committee on the Judiciary be agreed to and adopted."

"RESOLVED, That the Senate hereby express its condemnation of the refusal of the attorney general under whatever influence to send to the Senate copies of papers called for by the resolution of the 25th of January and set forth in the report of the committee on the Judiciary, as in violation of its official duty and subversive of the fundamental principles of the government and of a good administration thereof."

"RESOLVED, That in order to these circumstances, the duty of the Senate to refuse its advice and consent to proposed removals of officers and to appoint new officers, in pursuance to the supposed official or personal misconduct of whom are withheld by the executive or any head of a department when deemed necessary by the Senate and called for in considering the matter."

"RESOLVED, That the provision of Section 1 of the act of March 3, 1875, which requires that persons honorably discharged from the military or naval service by reason of disability resulting from wounds or diseases incurred in the service, shall be preferred for appointments to civil offices, provided they are found to possess the business capacity necessary for the proper discharge of the duties of such office, ought to be faithfully and fully put into execution, and that to remove or to propose to remove any such officer, without just cause, competency and character are also removed, and to give place to another who has not rendered such service, is a violation of the spirit of the law and the practical gratitude the people and government of the United States owe to the defenders of the constitutional liberty and the integrity of the government."

"All of which is respectfully submitted."

EDMUNDS. J. D. BROWN. JOHN J. LOGAN. J. R. McILLAN. GEORGE F. HOAR. JAMES E. WILSON. WILLIAM M. EVARTS.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Among petitions presented was one by Mr. Horner from "Citizens of the United States," whose names Mr. Horner thought indicated that they were of foreign birth—praying for the submission by Congress to the several States, of a proposed constitutional amendment abolishing the presidency. The petition was appropriately referred.

When the reports of committees were announced to be in order, Mr. Edmunds arose and said: "Mr. President—I am instructed by the committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred the joint resolution of the Senate, with authority to report with open doors, to make a report with sundry resolutions which I ask may be placed on the calendar."

Mr. Edmunds did not desire to have the matter read. Mr. Fugh representing the minority of the committee on Judiciary, said that they knew nothing of the contents of the report, until it was read in the Senate this morning; that the minority desired to prepare a report in which they will present their views, and enable them to do so, they requested until Monday next to prepare the same.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC STRIKE.

Third Division Breakmen Quit Work.

More Expected to Follow.

Houston, Tex., Feb. 19.—The breakmen on the Third Division of the Southern Pacific railroad quit work today in sympathy with the striking breakmen at New Orleans. They make the same demand as the Gretna strikers, and have refused to be let to hold out. No freight trains left here yesterday on the Southern Pacific.

How far west the strike extends is not yet known, but it is believed that it will extend to San Francisco. Freight engines were sent to the round house. The engineers and firemen strongly sympathize with the strikers. A report is current that the engineers will also strike, as they have been dissatisfied since last fall, because of certain damages. Trouble is also anticipated on the Texas Central railway.

HOTEL FIRE.

Panic at a Summer Resort—It seemed Unconscionable.

New York, Feb. 19.—Fire broke out in the Riverside hotel, near Rutherford, N. J., a well known summer resort, also was patronized during the winter season by New York business men with their families. The guests were roused from their beds, and on rushing to the corridors were driven back by smoke and flames. Panic seized them, and for a time there was the greatest excitement.

The fire attracted numbers of people to the scene, and there were plenty of volunteers. The work of rescue was begun, and in a few minutes had been removed from the hotel. Six slaves were carried out unconscious. The hotel was almost destroyed. The damage is about \$20,000.

St. Louis, Feb. 19.—H. D. Anderson, of Kansas, Texas, returning the Lane & Texas land company, reported to the police that value containing deeds and titles to 50,000 acres of land and valued at \$125,000, was stolen from him at the Union depot. The stolen contained the charter and seal of the company. He was waiting for a train to take him to his home, but he was told to take the office. When he returned it was gone. He says the loss may lead to civil suits and litigation, and offers a reward for the recovery of the papers.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

The Title to an Immense Land Grant in Texas.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 19.—A very important suit has just been decided by the district court of this (Brewer) county, in which it is known as the "Eleven League Grant." This was one of the smallest of over fifty grants of large sections of land made by the state of Coahuila and Texas, while Texas was a part of the Mexican republic.

The Texas-Mexican Railroad company located its survey certificates on land claimed by the state of Texas, and a writ of mandamus to have the land surveyed. This brought the question of title to a direct issue and every landholder in half a dozen counties was interested, as the combined grants aggregate an area besides which the lands of California and Texas are insignificant in extent. Judge Noonan decided in favor of the defendants, thus confirming the Comilla grants.

"ALL RIGHT"

But He Wasn't, and Death is the Result of Carelessness.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 19.—A horrible accident, by which a valuable company employee lost his life through his carelessness, occurred at Liberty and State avenue. A gang of telephone men known as Bristol's gang, were busy running poles from C. & D. street at the above point, and had a huge pole ready to launch over the side of the car door when the car started.

Bristol gave the men a warning to be careful and not stand in the way as it was along pole was standing. Everyone moved except Tom Reese, aged 28, single and boarding at Eighth and Broadway, who answered "All right" but only moved a step or two and then stopped just as the pole was let go. A cry of warning and horror reached him just before the heavy pole crashed down upon him, knocking him down and crushing his head terribly. He was picked up dead. Patrol No. 5 removed his body to his boarding house. His folks do not reside in the city.

THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

A Large Amount of Business Disposed of.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 19.—Both branches of the legislature were hard and disposed of a great deal of business, most of it being of a routine nature.

In the house the bill introduced by Mr. Williams, of Coshocton, to exempt from taxation the houses of a widow supporting children was lost. It drew over two votes, so their favor was not carried by politicians.

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In the senate many local bills were passed. The house joint resolution to provide a judicial court for the state lawfully was referred to the special committee having charge of Mr. Ely's resolution to enlarge the state house.

The senate introduced a bill to allow husbands and wives to testify for or against each other in criminal cases, except as to confidential communications after marriage. While it is not known the result of it, as one of the ablest members of the senate.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

The Twenty-second Anniversary of the Order in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 19.—The twenty-second anniversary of the order of Knights of Pythias will be joyfully celebrated next Friday. The order is a special committee having charge of Mr. Ely's resolution to enlarge the state house.

There will be a parade in the afternoon and appropriate services at 4 p. m. at St. Paul's M. E. church. The entire celebration will be in charge of Hon. Howard Johnson, and the corps was again exempted. Three men, Messrs. Nasworthy, Lovelady and Heats, of Texas, immediately recognized the body as the grand corps of the Pythias. Mr. Pierce said he recognized his husband by his features and teeth, and would know them anywhere.

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MEETING OF THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

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Many Letters Read From Congressmen.

Government Aid to Prevent Frauds in Wine, Butter and Sugar—Notes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—There was a large gathering of delegates to the American Agricultural association at the Grand Central hotel. Many letters were read from members of congress, who promised to give all the aid they could to the farmers and the dairy interests of the country in the proposed legislation regulating the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine. Among these were A. X. Parker, of New York; R. P. Bland, N. Y.; H. M. Davis, W. H. Cole, Mr. Ball, of Texas and others. Congress will be asked to suppress all spurious products, such as wine, butter, sugar, etc. Mr. Charles A. Wetmore, the agricultural commissioner from California, made an address on the behalf of the dairy farmers of that state. He asked for the same protection the dairymen ask against the manufacturers of butter. He said that California produces 10,000,000 gallons of wine and in three or four years from now will make 60,000,000 gallons. The producer asks that the consumer may get his products pure. California now exports to New York more wine than France, but France is not now able to grow enough wine for her own consumption and imports 30,000,000 gallons annually. He argued that pure wine is a potential agent for the promotion of temperance. His speech created a sensation.

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Among the delegates are ex-Governor Hyde, of Connecticut, several members of the New York legislature, and a couple of gentlemen from Iowa.

A new sensation in art life in the city is an exhibition of elaborately carved furniture by a sculptor from Naples, who came with the empress—Baron Fava, the minister from Italy. He has taken a private house on a fashionable street and fitted it up with the most beautiful furniture. Here is a bridal bed, for which \$4,000 is asked, made of carved Italian walnut, a dark hard wood, with a canopy of carved wood. One of the pieces, in the footboard, represents a bridal procession of cupids, several crowding the church door, others touching off crackers, etc. A set of mirrors and a pair of chairs, is valued at \$8,000. They are intended for a grand drawing room or saloon. Wonderful carvings, of marble, wood, chairs, etc., are shown, all unique and costly. Crowds of ladies and gentlemen flock to see these beautiful things.

THE PIERCE CASE.

The Wife and Children of the Deceased Arrive—Identification.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 19.—Interest in the Pierce case increased. The family of the widow of J. W. Pierce, accompanied by her daughter, son and half-sister, arrived in Atlanta and the party visited West View cemetery and the corpse was again examined. Three men, Messrs. Nasworthy, Lovelady and Heats, of Texas, immediately recognized the body as the grand corps of the Pythias. Mr. Pierce said he recognized his husband by his features and teeth, and would know them anywhere.

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TWO DISCOVERIES.

A Test of Real Butter Overcome by the

Biggest Makers. COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 19.—It is announced here that Professor Weber, of the chair of agricultural chemistry, State university, has just made an important discovery in chemistry in connection with the microscopic tests to distinguish oleomargarine from butter.

Recently, Dr. Thomas Taylor, of the department of agriculture, announced at a meeting of microscopists that butter placed under microscope showed round crystals marked by a plain cross, which could be found nowhere else. When the polarizer, or lens is used with the microscope, these butter crystals, which are in reality only globes of fat, show four parts each, two green and two yellow.

The chemical test to distinguish between butter and oleomargarine is very delicate, the only difference between the two material natures appreciable to chemists being that butter contains a small amount of lactic acid, which is lacking in the oleomargarine. This test is not always successful, and as the difference was likely to be worked out by unscrupulous oleomargarine manufacturers, Dr. Taylor's discovery was heralded far and wide, and the test has been a popular wherever known.

Professor Weber has now discovered that the mixing of a little water and salt with the oleomargarine, in proper proportions, causes the bogus butter to develop under the microscope exactly such crystals as the butter. This discovery is a great success, and the same result can be obtained with pure tallow treated in like manner. This discovery destroys the usefulness of Dr. Taylor's discovery and strengthens the position of the oleomargarine manufacturers and vendors.

FAMILY SLAUGHTERED.

Father, Mother and Four Children Slain, by a Fiend.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 19.—Information has reached this city of a terrible crime—the slaughter of a family of six people. The report circulated here is based on a private telegram, which stated that a messenger had come to the station, with about eight miles from the station, with the news of a terrible tragedy. The dispatch contained only the names of the six persons—father, mother and four children—had been killed by a negro.

From the news on the train that passed Palmar yesterday afternoon, however, it was learned that a posse was being organized to go in pursuit of some one who had killed the James family, a passenger on the same train said that the murderer had not been caught, and the posse intended to procure bloodhounds from the penitentiary to follow him.

MORMONS SENTENCED.

Another Batch of Lepers Doomed With Priests on the March.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 19.—Thomas Birmingham, owner of an unlawful habitation, was sentenced yesterday to six months' imprisonment and fined \$200. Canon took the witness stand in the case. He had called with him, he replied: "They are, thank God, I have lived with them as charged." The jury was promptly convicted.

Henry Davidson, charged with the charge of unlawful habitation and withdrawing his plea of not guilty. He promised obedience to the law and was again suspended. John Bower, convicted on his own evidence, asked for immediate sentence, and the court imposed a penalty of six months' imprisonment with fine \$500.

Colorado Silver Convention.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 19.—The Colorado State Silver convention met here with 150 delegates present, representing every county in the state.

Resolutions were adopted instructing the organization created by this convention to secure compensation for the free and unlimited exchange of silver upon an equality with gold; inviting the citizens of the state to hold their congressmen to strict accountability for their actions; and to the effect of a question, and pledging themselves to vote for no man unless pledged to free and unlimited exchange of silver.

For 500 Years.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—It is announced there is an effort on foot to dispose of the stock of the Broadway & Seventh Avenue road, on a 999 year lease, to a Philadelphia corporation. Up to last night the consent of stockholders owning 10,000 out of 21,000 shares in the Broadway & Seventh Avenue road, had been obtained to the proposition. The names of the Philadelphia firm syndicate are not as yet publicly known.

Carnival Postponed.

BIRMINGHAM, Va., Feb. 19.—The carnival of winter sports to be given here under the management of the Burlington County Club, has been postponed, and will now take place February 22nd to 26th inclusive. The New York Central & Hudson River railroad will sell excursion tickets at \$10 from the 19th to 25th, inclusive, available for the return journey till March 4.

For Battery.

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—The United States District court grand jury has indicted Jeffrey Gerrier, captain of the schooner Racer, for battery, in casting away the schooner off Cape Elizabeth, December last, also for attempting to cast her away. The former crime is punishable by death. Gerrier pleaded not guilty and was held for trial.

Mrs. Farnsworth's Birthday.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Dolia Stewart Farnsworth, mother of the great parliamentarian, has celebrated her sixty-third birthday at her home on Hudson street, this city. During the day she was presented with a beautiful bracelet, which she is very weak but characteristically cheerful.

Struck With a Club.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—At the corner of Eighth and Lombard streets, Samuel Anderson, a negro, was struck over the head with some blunt instrument in the hands of William Slaying, a white man. Anderson died shortly afterwards and Slaying was arrested.

SIGNAL SERVICE REPORT:

"Local rains, slightly colder weather."
HAZEN.

The Bourbon News advertises \$20,000 in Confederate \$100 bills, bearing 7 1/2 per cent. interest, for sale.

John B. Gordon, the great temperance lecturer, died at 5 o'clock last evening at Philadelphia from apoplexy.

SIXTY-SIX new bills were introduced in the House Wednesday, making 738 so far this season. Most of them are of a local character.

The International Editorial Association will hold its next meeting at Cincinnati next week, beginning on the 23rd and ending on the 25th of the month.

The Louisiana railroad employees to the number of several hundred are on a strike for higher wages, and are giving considerable trouble to the companies.

The Legislature has adopted a resolution which has in view the appointment of a committee to investigate the Eastern Kentucky Lignite Anomaly at Lexington.

Hon. GEORGE B. BROWN has been nominated for Circuit Judge and S. G. Kinser for Commonwealth's Attorney by the Democrats in the Sixteenth Judicial District.

Protests against abolishing the Geological Survey are being heard from almost every section of the State, and it is not likely now that the House will concur in the action of the Senate.

In all reports be true, the adulteration of tea must be a very easy thing. This is borne out by the statement that 30,000 pounds of willow leaves are annually consumed by the tea-drinkers of this country.

FEBRUARY 27th is the constitutional limit of the present session of the Legislature. It will require a two-thirds vote of all the members to continue it any longer. The indications are that it will be continued.

STATE GEOLOGIST PROCTOR, who has returned from England, thinks he has succeeded in interesting English capitalists in the enterprise of developing the mineral resources of his State, and that great benefit will eventually result from his trip. "So mote it be."

SINCE the exportation of gold has been sent last fall, about \$4,000,000 have been sent to other countries. The "gold bug" of the East, however, cannot use this fact as an argument against silver, as such exportations are nothing usual at this season of the year.

A CINCINNATI woman has obtained judgment against a saloon-keeper for \$5,000 damages for selling liquor to her husband, from the effects of which he died. If the saloon-keepers had to pay damages for every fellow whose death was brought about by their whisky, the saloon business would soon become decidedly unprofitable.

A COVINGTON item in the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette says: "The representatives of Mr. Huntington, the railroad king, have already begun operations looking to the extension to the Kentucky Central to the Ohio and across to Cincinnati. The property of Mr. Zelsz on Pike street, near Craig street, and that of Mr. Wordeman, on Bremen and Craig, it is understood, have been purchased, and negotiations are in progress for more."

JUDGING from the past, it will take more than a set of Republican resolutions to disturb Cleveland's equanimity. The Republican Senate thinks the action of the Attorney General in refusing to furnish information in regard to suspended officials is reprehensible. The Republican Senators have already resolved that they will reject all nominations where the heads of departments refused to furnish that body with the information asked for.

THERE are forty-five counties in the State which have no railroads. It will be found upon investigation that nearly all of them will, when railroads do penetrate them, be among the richest in the State. There are those who speak of the mountain counties, whose topographical structure has retarded the building of railroads, as pauper counties, who will live to see the day when many of them will head the list in the value of their mineral and manufactured products.—Frankfort Yeoman.

The Somerset Reporter is authority for the statement that a candidate for a county office of Somerset had eight bars of whisky and \$1.20 to secure his nomination. If the Legislature would pass a law making it felony the baneful practice would cease.—Winchester Democrat.

It will not be a great many years, we predict, before the honest people of the country will rise up in all their irresistible strength and crush out the "baneful practice." The nefarious business is growing worse and becoming more open every day, and it is only a question of time when the fight against it will be begun.

THE TORY DISSENTERS.

CAUCUS OF LEADERS TO DECIDE PARLIAMENTARY POLICY.

Stirring Anti-Irish Speeches Made Which Are Heavily Apportioned—Gladstone Accused of Trickery—Fears of Hidden Meanings—No Home Rule—Foreign.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The caucus of the Tory leaders to decide upon the party's policy in parliament upon the Irish question assembled at the Carlton club. Lord Salisbury presided and 150 Tory peers and members of the house were present, including Lord Randolph Churchill and other members of Lord Salisbury's late cabinet. Lord Randolph and others made stirring anti-Irish speeches which were heartily applauded.

Some of the speakers believed that Mr. Gladstone would seek to carry through his Irish schemes by trickery, and cautious members to rightly scrutinize every Irish measure moved by the government, to see that it does not contain hidden meanings which would result in the enactment of more than was intended.

The general issue of the speeches and the enthusiasm with which they were received, indicate that the Tories will strenuously oppose any concession of Home Rule to Ireland.

Catholicism in China. LONDON, Feb. 19.—A Cable News correspondent obtained an interview with the late vicar general of the Catholic church in China. The prelate expressed himself as delighted with the progress of the church in political liberty and the liberal manner of the authorities in their intercourse with the priests. He reports that the imperial court at Peking has urgently requested the establishment of an apostolic legate at that capital, and a commission of cardinals is now considering the advisability of complying with the request.

London, Feb. 19.—A Paris dispatch to the Times says that no replies to the invitation to assist in the Paris exhibition having been received except from Greece, it is probable that the project for holding the exhibition will be abandoned.

German Military. VIENNA, Feb. 19.—A bill has been introduced in the Reichstag to create a Landsturm in Austria. It provides for the enrollment of all men not now in the regular army, between the ages of 19 and 30.

Monetary. LONDON, Feb. 19.—The bank of England rate of discount has been reduced from 3 to 2 per cent.

STREET CAR STRIKE.

Out Gains in New York Demanding the Promised Changes.

New York, Feb. 19.—The cars on the Eighth avenue line stopped running at 5 o'clock this morning. Crowds of workers were disappointed and disgusted on account of the company failing to keep its promise. Long hours, poor pay and overwork have determined the men to make a firm stand this time, and it is said their victory will be a permanent success. Negotiations looking to a settlement of the difficulty are now in progress.

The men say the company has not put the time table they promised into effect and have been keeping them waiting on promises. They say the "trip" idea is a great difference in pay. The "trip" idea is to pay the men by the trips they make. For two trips requiring really five hours, they receive but fifty cents. Sobriety is one of the strictest rules of the Drivers' and Conductors' association, and any man found intoxicated is heavily fined. As a result they are all sober and quiet, and there is not the slightest necessity for police interference.

MOB VENGEANCE.

George Robinson Taken from Jail and Hanged by Judge Lynch.

MONROE, La., Feb. 19.—George Robinson, who shot and killed Willard Parker near this city on the night of December 11, was taken from jail by a party of one hundred men and hung near the scene of the tragedy. Robinson killed Parker in defense of his house and person. A party of six or eight white men went to his cabin to whip him on account of a difficulty he had with a young white man. Being refused admittance they threatened to break down the door where Robinson attempted to escape by the back entrance.

Here Parker had been stationed to intercept the negro. Robinson fired on him, shooting him through the breast and escaped to Bogard county, Mississippi, where he was captured a few days ago.

N. Y. Bail.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 19.—The executive committee of the State Baseball league, met here, Rochester, Binghamton, Syracuse, Utica and Oswego, were represented, delegations were present from Buffalo, Troy, Toronto and Hamilton, Ont., looking for the admission of clubs from these cities. Buffalo was admitted and Troy excluded. There is some opposition on the part of Binghamton, Oswego and Utica to the admission of the Canadian clubs, but it is probable that they will be admitted this afternoon, thus admitting an international league.

GAUDAUER'S CHALLENGE.

He Posts a Forfeit and Now Wants to Avoid the Challenge.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 19.—Gaudauer, the carman, has issued the following challenge: "I hereby challenge John Teemer, champion sculler of America, to row me a three mile race on any lake course in the United States, on or before May 30, for \$1,000 a side and the championship of America." "J. G. GAUDAUER."

Gaudauer has deposited \$500 with the Missouri Republican as a forfeit. He is backed by A. J. St.

AUGUSTA'S ARMS.

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 19.—A large portion of the business section of this city was destroyed by fire. A hotel and the postoffice is included in the list of burned buildings. The loss foots up about \$40,000; insurance for about half that sum.

CANAL BOAT SUNK.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Canal boat No. 1 of the Lake Erie and Western Coal company, loaded with 250 tons of coal, sank at pier No. 35, North river. All hands escaped.

Angel's Wife Has Him Arrested. NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—James Angel, a partner and nephew of ex-Gov. James F. Smith, was arrested on complaint of his wife that he abandoned her nine months ago, and has failed to provide for her and their two children. He was paroled in the custody of his uncle. Angel said that his wife left him nine months ago and went into Massachusetts against his wish, taking the children with her. He says she is well able to pay her own bills.

What the Governor Really Wrote. ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 19.—A very annoying error attended the telegraphing of Governor Hill's message, in which he was announcing the death of Horatio Seymour. In sending the message out from Albany the Associated Press made him say Governor Seymour was the candidate of "the great party." In many newspapers this line was printed as "the great Democratic party." What Governor Hill wrote was "a great party."

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—For the Ohio Valley and Tennessee: Fair, slightly warmer tonight; winds generally southerly, falling followed in the extreme western portion by rising barometer.

For the Lower Lake region: Fair weather followed by increasing cloudiness and local snows, winds shifting to westerly, slightly warmer weather, falling barometer.

With, Fatal Shooting.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—George Sillson, a saloon keeper at 184 Fourth avenue, in a drunken frolic fired several shots from a pistol in front of his saloon. Policemen in the vicinity ran up to see what was the matter when Sillson fired upon him, the ball entering the back above the right hip, inflicting a probably fatal wound. Sillson was removed to the hospital.

Attached for \$73,000.

SPOKANE FALLS, W. T., Feb. 19.—Attached to the amount of \$73,000 were placed on the store of Schenck Brothers, general merchandise dealers here. The attachments are by San Francisco and local creditors. The liabilities are between \$13,000 to \$125,000; assets, stock \$53,000, accounts and notes probably \$60,000.

Youth Dudley's Release.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—It is understood that Youth Dudley, who shot O'Donovan Rossa a year ago, and who was committed to the Middletown lunatic asylum, is greatly improved and will soon be released.

Manager John Rickaby Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Mr. John Rickaby, the well-known theatrical manager, died at 8:30 o'clock at his residence in this city. He had been sick for some weeks past. Mr. Rickaby was born in France in 1842.

Calvin S. Harrington Dead.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Feb. 19.—Calvin S. Harrington, for the past twenty-three years in charge of the Latin department of Wesleyan university, died at his residence here, aged 59 years.

For Eighteen Years.

PORT WATSON, Ind., Feb. 19.—Thomas Fullerton, who shot and killed John Gas during a quarrel at a salooning party January 30, was sentenced to eighteen years in the penitentiary.

Ministerial Call.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 19.—Grace Episcopal church has unanimously called Rev. Henry E. Cooke, of Philadelphia, as its pastor of New York, to the rectorship.

NOTICE!

THE FIRM OF BROWNING & BARKLEY is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. E. L. Barkley retiring.

E. L. BROWNING,
R. L. BARKLEY.

THE BUSINESS WILL BE CONTINUED by Browning & Co., at the old stand, No. 3 East Second street, who solicit a continuance of the patronage extended to the late firm. Respectfully,

BROWNING & CO

MME. FRY'S

CONCERT COM'Y,

(Engaged by the Baptist Church Choir,
—at Opera House—)

Feb'y 20.

THIS will be the "elite" entertainment of the season—one that all can understand and appreciate.

Hard Times. While money is close, wages and prices low, expenses should be cut down in every household. Economy the watch word for Mothers, heads of families, by always keeping in the house, a bottle of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup. Stops a Cough instantly, relieves Consumption, cures Croup and pain in the Chest in one night. It is just the remedy for hard times. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Samples free. Sold by George T. Wood.

Clearance Sale of Boots and Shoes!

—I place on our Cheap Counter to-day—

Men's Hand-Sewed Congress Gaiters.....	(former price \$5 50)	\$3 00
Men's Hand-Sewed Putney Boots.....	(former price \$5 50)	\$3 50
Men's Hand-Sewed Laced Boots.....	(former price \$5 50)	\$4 00
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